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Operating Cost

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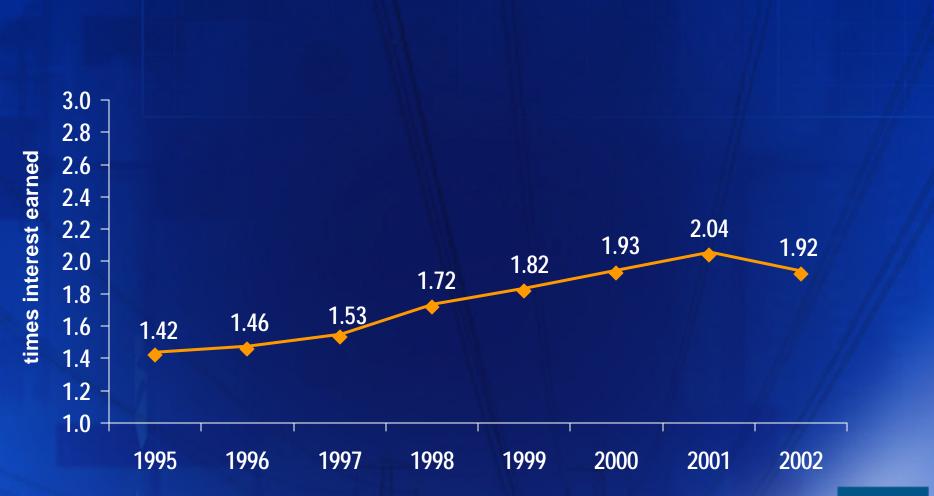
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Interest Coverage

Interest Coverage = (Net Operating Cash Flow + Interest on Debt) / Interest on Debt





Cash Flow from Operations

3 Year Trailing Average





Pollution Control Equipment Investment

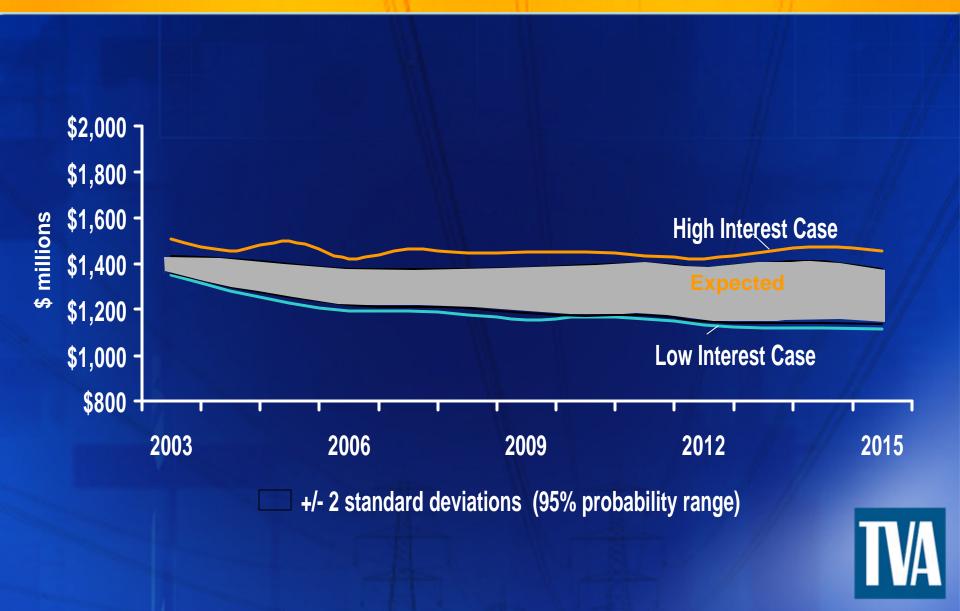


Net Interest Expense as a Percentage of Total Revenues



Interest Rate Risk

Interest Expense with \$300 Million Debt Reduction per Year



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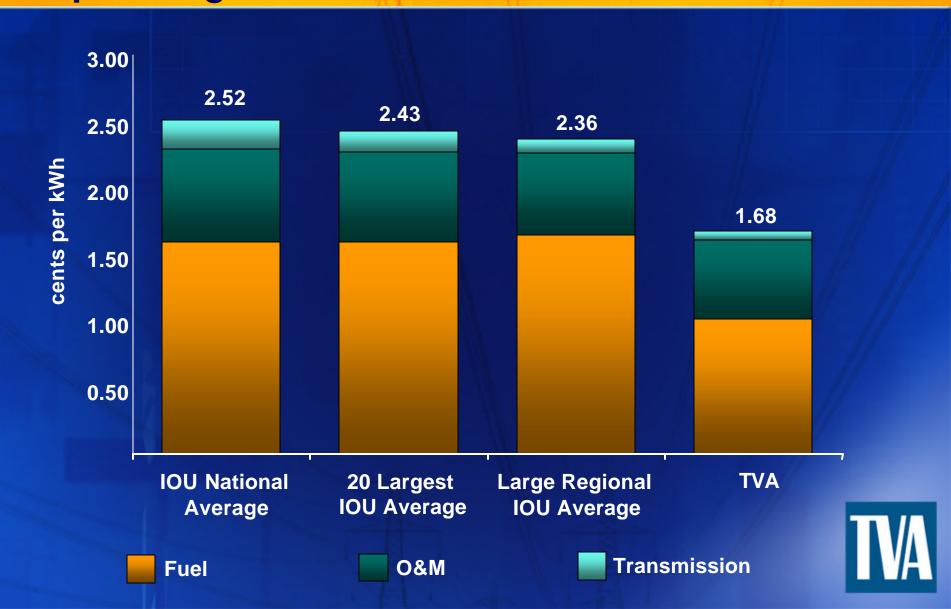
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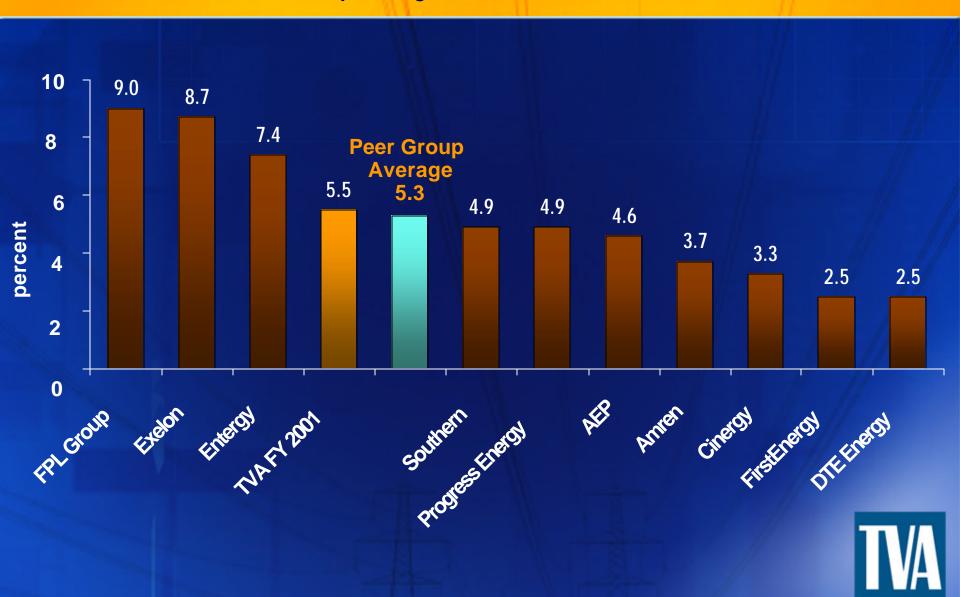


2001 Average Transmission & Production Operating Costs

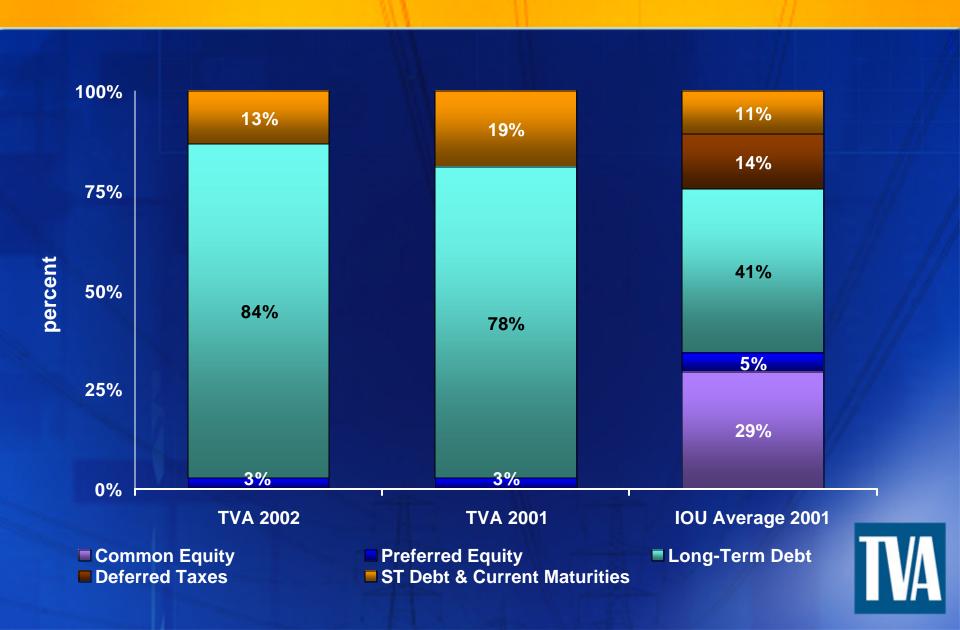


Cash Return on Assets

Cash Return on Assets = (Operating Cash Flow - Dividends) / Total Assets



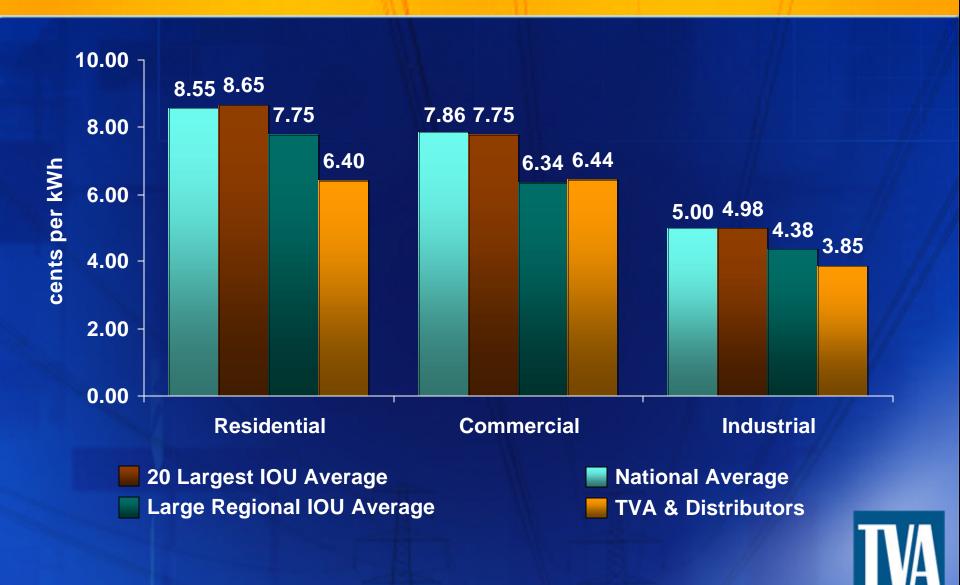
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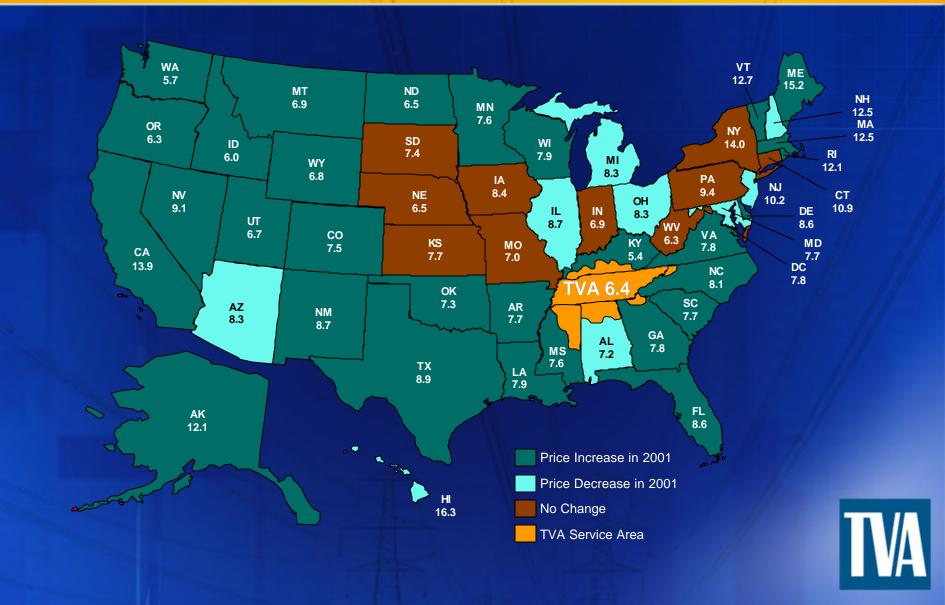
Electric Power System Market Value Capitalization Per Kilowatt (KW) of Installed Nameplate Capacity



2001 Average Price Comparison



2001 Average Residential Electricity Price Comparison (Cents per kWh)



Strategic Planning

Merchant Plant Activity

Regulatory Environment

Fuel Supply

Technology

Transmission Additions

Environmental Controls

Power Demand



Sarbanes-Oxley

- Strengthened Corporate Accountability
- Enhanced Financial Disclosure
- Increased Auditor Independence





